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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Tuesday, 4 October 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

4 p.m. — consultations of the whole (closed) — Consultation Room

Subjects

- Programme of work
- Preliminary report of the Commission of Experts on Rwanda
- Other matters

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m. — 16th PLENARY MEETING — General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency The Honourable Ali Hassan Mwinyi, President of the United Republic of Tanzania.

2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Address by His Excellency Mr. Oscar Ribas Reig, Prime Minister of the Principality of Andorra

   Pakistan

   Jordan

   Indonesia

3 p.m. 17th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Jean-Bertrand Aristide, President of the Republic of Haiti.

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Address by His Excellency Dr. Carlos Alberto Wahnon de Carvalho Veiga, Prime Minister and Minister of Defence of the Republic of Cape Verde

Uzbekistan

Saudi Arabia

Paraguay

Burkina Faso

Guinea

Lao People's Democratic Republic

Albania

Georgia

Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Election of officers

2. Organization of work (A/49/251; A/C.3/49/1 and 2; A/C.3/49/L.1 and Add.1)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.- 1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Children's Fund

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Third regular session

10 a.m.- 1 p.m.	29th meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
3 p.m.- 6 p.m.	30th meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

1. Review of Greeting Card and related Operations (GCO) currently located in Manhattan [11] *(continuation)* E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.10 and L.16)

2. Greeting Card and related Operations: report on implementation of Executive Board decision 1993/24 C.1 and C.2 [12] (E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.14)

2. A self-financing Supply Divisiion [8] (E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.9 and L.16)

3. UNICEF health strategy: policy review [9] (E/ICEF/1994/L.6 and L.10)

4. Election of members on the UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy [10] E/ICEF/1994/L.21)

5. Review of UNICEF recovery policy [7] (E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.2 and Corr.1, and E/ICEF/AB/L.16)

6. Continuation of funding from administrative and programme budget for Central and Eastern Europe, the Commonwealth of Independent States and the Baltic States [13] (E/ICEF/1994/P/L.40)

7. Conference facilities at the premises of UNICEF headquarters [14] (E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.15 and L.16)

OTHER MEETINGS

MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE LEAST DEVELOPED COUNTRIES

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Wednesday, 5 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

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1. Address by His Excellency Mr. Elson Bakili Muluzi, President of the Republic of Malawi.

2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Address by His Excellency The Honourable Sir Anerood Jugnauth, P.C.,K.C.M.G.,Q.C., Prime Minister of the Republic of Mauritius

Malaysia

Address by His Excellency Mr. Kengo Wa Dondo, Prime Minister of the Transitional Government of the Republic of Zaire

Philippines

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Democratic People's Republic of Korea

Ghana

United Arab Emirates

Cameroon

Yemen

Sierra Leone

Fiji

Djibouti

3. Appointments to fill vacancies in subsidiary organs and other appointments: Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/49/432) [17(a)].

Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

Open-ended informal consultations

3 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 1

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

10 a.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 1

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	6th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

3 p.m.	5th meeting (closed)	Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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Committees

FIRST COMMITTEE

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE)

The Special Political and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee) will hold its 2nd meeting on Wednesday, 5 October 1994, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1, for the purpose of electing its Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur and to consider its organization of work (A/C.4/49/L.1).

Delegations wishing to be inscribed on the list of speakers for the general debate relating to decolonization items (see A/C.4/49/L.1), which is scheduled to begin on the same day, are kindly requested to notify the secretariat (Room S-3380, tel. 963-3398).

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THIRD COMMITTEE

The Third Committee will hold its 2nd meeting on Tuesday, 4 October 1994, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 1, for the purpose of electing its Vice-Chairmen and Rapporteur and to consider its organization of work (A/C.3/49/L.1). A note by the Secretariat on the state of preparation of documentation will be issued in document A/C.3/49/L.1/Add.1.

The list of speakers for the general discussion of items on the agenda of the Third Committee will be opened following the adoption of its organization of work.

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FIFTH COMMITTEE

The 3rd meeting of the Fifth Committee will be held on Thursday, 6 October 1994, at 10 a.m., in Conference Room 3.

The Committee will hear an address by the Under-Secretary-General for Administration and Management, followed by the introduction of item 112 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations).

The Committee will also consider the report of the Secretary-General on the financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador (ONUSAL) and the related report of the Advisory Committee for Administrative and Budgetary Questions.

Delegations wishing to participate in the general discussion on item 112 are kindly invited to inscribe their names with the Secretary of the Committee (extension 3-0542).

Delegations are reminded that the deadline for the submission of candidatures to fill vacancies in the subsidiary organs of the General Assembly is Monday, 17 October 1994, at 6 p.m.

The informal consultations on the determination of the mandates and modalities of an ad hoc body of the General Assembly to study the implementation of the principle of the capacity to pay as a fundamental criterion for determining the scale of assessments, in pursuance of General Assembly resolution 48/223C, will be held on Thursday, 6 October 1994, in the afternoon.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Development Programme

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF UNDP AND UNFPA

The third regular session 1994 of the Executive Board of UNDP and UNFPA will be held from 6 to 10 October 1994 in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. The provisional agenda, the annotations, the list of documents and the work plan are contained in document DP/1994/L.5.

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OTHER MEETINGS

The Ministerial Meeting of the NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT will be held on Wednesday, 5 October 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 2.

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There will be a closed meeting of the GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77 *(on matters before the Second Committee)* on Thursday, 6 October 1994, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 2.

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Informal briefing

Mr. Hama Arba Diallo, Executive Secretary, Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee for a Convention to Combat Desertification (INCD), and the Permanent Mission of France invite all environment experts at the Permanent Missions to an informal briefing, which will be held on Thursday, 6 October 1994, at 1 p.m. in Conference Room 1, on INCD activities, in particular the signing ceremony to be held in Paris (14-15 October 1994) and the sixth session of INCD (9-20 January 1995).

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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Monday, 3 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

14th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Glafcos Clerides, President of the Republic of Cyprus

His Excellency Mr. Glafcos Clerides, President of the Republic of Cyprus, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Mr. Nelson Rorihlahla Mandela, President of the Republic of South Africa

His Excellency Mr. Nelson Rorihlahla Mandela, President of the Republic of South Africa, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Dr. László Kovács, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Hungary; H.E. Mr. Pranab Mukherjee, Minister of Commerce of India; H.E. Mr. Farouk Al-Shara', Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Syrian Arab Republic; H.E. Dr. Han Sung-Joo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Republic of Korea.

Tentative programme of work

The President drew the attention of the General assembly to document A/INF/49/5 which contained a tentative programme of work and schedule of plenary meetings for the month of October. The President announced that the lists of speakers for all the items listed in the document were now open.

15th plenary meeting

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Habib Ben Yahia, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Tunisia; H.E. Senator The Honourable Gareth Evans, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Australia; H.E. Mr. Josef Zieleniec, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Czech Republic; H.E. Mr. Nasser Abdullah Al-Rawdhan, Second Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance of Kuwait; H.E. Mr. Roberto Robaina González, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Cuba; H.E. Mr. Jean Ping, Minister for Foreign Affairs and Cooperation of Gabon; H.E. The Honourable Stephen Kalonzo Musyoka, Minister for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Kenya; H.E. Dr. Pascoal Manuel Mocumbi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Mozambique.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Children's Fund

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Third regular session 27th meeting and 28th meetings

Opening of the session: Remarks by the President and the Executive Director [1]

The session was opened by the President (United Republic of Tanzania). The Executive Director made a statement on the issues before the session.

Adoption of the provisional agenda and organization of work [2]

Statements were made by representatives of the Netherlands, the United States, India, Germany, the United Kingdom and Australia. The provisional agenda and organization of work as contained in document E/ICEF/1994/15 and Corr.1 were adopted.

Election to fill the vacant post of one Vice-President [3]

The item was deferred.

Status report on the follow-up to the multi-donor evaluation of UNICEF [4]

The Deputy Executive Director (Programmes) introduced the item. Statements were made by representatives of Denmark, Germany, Switzerland, Canada, the Philippines, the Netherlands, Brazil, Belarus, Bangladesh and Sweden. The Board thus concluded consideration of this item.

Interim assessment of the management review of UNICEF [5]

The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) introduced the item. A presentation was made by the consultancy firm. Statements were made by representatives of the United Kingdom, Canada, France, India, China, Germany, Australia, Sweden, Denmark, Japan, the Netherlands, Pakistan, the United States, Cuba, Italy, the Russian Federation, Switzerland, Belarus, Brazil, Romania and Costa Rica. The consultancy firm responded to the issues raised by delegations.

Projections of future levels of UNICEF headquarters staff [6]

The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) introduced the item. Statements were made by representatives of Germany, Canada, United Kingdom, China, Switzerland, the Netherlands, Denmark and Brazil. The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) responded to issues raised by delegations. The Executive Director made a statement.

Review of Greeting Card and related Operations (GCO) currently located in Manhattan [11]

The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) introduced the item. Statements were made by representatives of the United States, the Netherlands, Canada, Germany and the Philippines. The item was postponed for further consideration.

Greeting Card and related Operations: report on implementation of Executive Board decision 1993/24 C.1 and C.2. [12]

A self-financing Supply Division [8]

These items were postponed to the next day.

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Convention on the Rights of the Child

COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Seventh session
United Nations Office at Geneva

MONDAY, 3 OCTOBER 1994

166th meeting

Review of developments relevant to the work of the Committee [5]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

Cooperation with other United Nations bodies, specialized agencies and other competent bodies [8]

Methods of work of the Committee [9]

The Committee began its consideration of the items.

167th meeting

Consideration of reports of States parties [4]

The Committee began its consideration of the initial report of Paraguay (CRC/C/3/Add.22).

In accordance with rule 68 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Committee, the representative of the States Parties was present at the meeting and replied to questions raised and comments made by the members of the Committee.

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Corrigendum to *Journal* No. 1994/90: on page 7, the date under SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS should read *Friday, 30 September 1994.*

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, opened for signature at New York on 7 March 1966

Signature: South Africa (3 October 1994)

International Covenant on Economic, Social and Cultural Rights, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 16 December 1966

Signature: South Africa (3 October 1994)

International Covenant on Civil and Political Rights, adopted by the General Assembly of the United Nations on 16 December 1966

Signature: South Africa (3 October 1994)

Agreement to establish the South Centre, opened for signature at Geneva on 1 September 1994

Signature: South Africa (3 October 1994)

Agreement relating to the Implementation of Part XI of the United Nations Convention on the Law of the Sea of 10 December 1982, adopted by the General Assembly on 28 July 1994

Signature: South Africa (3 October 1994)

Convention on the Recognition and Enforcement of Foreign Arbitral Awards, done at New York on 10 June 1958

Accession: Zimbabwe (29 September 1994)*

Convention on Biological Diversity, opened for signature at Rio de Janeiro on 5 June 1992

Ratification: Comoros (29 September 1994)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Exhibition

The exhibition *Medinas of Fez and Marrakech - World Heritage* will be inaugurated *today*, 4 October 1994, at 6 p.m. at the United Nations Gallery in the General Assembly building Public Lobby.

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10 a.m.-1 p.m.	2nd meeting	Conference Room 1

1. Election of officers

2. Organization of work (A/C.4/49/1; A/C.4/49/L.1)

3. Agenda items 18, 81, 82, 83 and 12 and 84 (A/49/3 (Chapters V (Sec.C) and IX)*, A/49/23 (Parts II to VII), A/49/216 and Add.1, 381, 384 and Add.1*, 413; A/AC.109/1179-1183, 1185-1186, 1188-1195, 1197; A/AC.109/L.1824; E/1994/114)

4. Allocation of items to the Special Polical and Decolonization Committee (Fourth Committee (A/C.4/49/2).

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	6th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Observer status of national liberation movements recognized by the Organization of African Unity and/or by the League of Arab States [133] (A/49/325)

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [134] (A/49/255 and Corr.1 (English only) and A/49/255/Add.1)

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives [135] (A/INF/48/4; A/49/295 and Add.1 and 2)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

* To be issued.

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Children's Fund

EXECUTIVE BOARD

Third regular session

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6. Conference facilities at the premises of UNICEF headquarters [14] (E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.15 and L.16)
7. Issues to be addressed at the 1995 Executive Board sessions and their work programme and working methods [15] (E/ICEF/1994/CRP.54 and Add.1)
8. Use of global funds, including the Interregional Fund for Programme Preparation, Promotion and Evaluation [16] (E/ICEF/1994/P/L.38 and Add.1)
9. Other business [17] (E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.3/Add.1)
10. Concluding remarks by the Executive Director and the President (18)

OTHER MEETINGS

MINISTERIAL MEETING OF THE NON-ALIGNED MOVEMENT

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE
(Address by the President of Malawi)

4 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Thursday, 6 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m.	20th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Address by His Excellency Mr. Samuel Hinds, Prime Minister of the Republic of Guyana

Bahrain

Bangladesh

Address by His Excellency The Right Honourable Lester B. Bird, Prime Minister of Antigua and Barbuda

Kazakhstan

3 p.m. 21st PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu'Izzadin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam.

2. Address by His Excellency Mr. Pasteur Bizimungu, President of the Rwandese Republic

3. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Madagascar

Address by His Excellency Dr. Janez Drnovsek, Prime Minister of the Republic of Slovenia

Ecuador

Namibia

Ethiopia

Mali

Djibouti

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 3rd meeting Conference Room 3

Informal consultations

3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 7th meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

3 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m. closed meeting

3 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 10

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Committees

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The Chairman of the PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE WORLD SUMMIT FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT will hold an open-ended meeting on Friday, 7 October 1994, at 10 a.m., for the purpose of an informal exchange of views on document A/CONF.166/PC/L.18, entitled "Outcome of the World Summit for Social Development: elements for the draft Declaration". The conference room will be announced in the *Journal*.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

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EXECUTIVE BOARD OF UNDP AND UNFPA

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Informal briefing

There will be an informal briefing on the forthcoming United Nations International Symposium on Trade Efficiency on Tuesday, 11 October 1994, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. Mr. Jean Gurunlian, UNCTAD's Executive Secretary of the Symposium, will inform delegates about the forthcoming United Nations Symposium to be held in Ohio from 17 to 21 October 1994, at which over 80 ministers will propose innovative ways to improve efficiency in international trade.

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Tuesday, 4 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

16th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency The Honourable Ali Hassan Mwinyi, President of the United Republic of Tanzania

His Excellency The Honourable Ali Hassan Mwinyi, President of the United Republic of Tanzania, addressed the General Assembly.

Programme of work

The President drew the attention of the General Assembly to document A/49/452 containing a letter from the Chairman of the Fifth Committee concerning the proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997.

He asked Member States to submit, in writing, their views on programme 6 of the medium-term plan (Elimination of apartheid) contained in document A/49/6 (Prog. 6), no later than Wednesday, 26 October, for transmittal to the Fifth Committee.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

His Excellency Mr. Oscar Ribas Reig, Prime Minister of the Principality of Andorra, addressed the General Assembly.

The General Assembly heard a statement by H.E. Sardar Aseff Ahmad Ali, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Pakistan.

His Royal Highness Prince El Hassan bin Talal, Crown Prince of the Hashemite Kingdom of Jordan, addressed the General Assembly.

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Ali Alatas, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Indonesia; and H.E. Mr. Alexander Chikvaidze, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Georgia.

17th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Jean-Bertrand Aristide, President of the Republic of Haiti

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Continuation of the general debate [9]

His Excellency Dr. Carlos Alberto Wahnon de Carvalho Veiga, Prime Minister and Minister of Defence of the Republic of Cape Verde, addressed the General Assembly.

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Aziz Kamilov, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Uzbekistan; H.R.H. Prince Saud Al-Faisal, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Saudi Arabia; H.E. Dr. Luis María Ramirez Boettner, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Paraguay; H.E. Mr. Ablassé Ouédraogo, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Burkina Faso; H.E. Mr. Kozo Zoumanigui, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Guinea; H.E. Mr. Somsavat Lengsavad, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Lao People's Democratic Republic; H.E. Mr. Alfred Serreqi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Albania.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of India and Pakistan.

Committees

THIRD COMMITTEE 2nd meeting

Election of officers

The Committee elected by acclamation Mr. John D. Biggar (Ireland) and Mr. Vitavas Srivihok (Thailand) as Vice-Chairmen and Mr. Nikolai N. Lepeshko (Belarus) as Rapporteur of the Committee.

Organization of work

The Chairman drew the Committee's attention to the relevant recommendations contained in document A/49/250 and to the status of documentation before the Committee (A/C.3/49/L.1/Add.1).

Following a suspension of the meeting, the Committee approved its programme of work for the session (A/C.3/49/L.1).

The representative of Cuba made a statement.

The Committee agreed to consider the work of its Working Group under item 100 (d).

The Committee also decided to extend invitations to a number of Special Rapporteurs and Representatives to present their reports to the Committee at the present session.

Statements were made by the representatives of Morocco, Thailand, Ecuador and Ireland.

The Secretary of the Committee responded to points raised.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Children's Fund

EXECUTIVE BOARD
Third regular session 29th and 30th meetings

Review of Greeting Card and related Operations (GCO) currently located in Manhattan [11] (*continuation*)

The Executive Board continued its consideration of this item. A statement was made by representative of Denmark. Informal consultations were continuing on the draft decision on this item.

Greeting Card and related operations: report on implementation of Executive Board decision 1993/24 C.1 and C.2 [12]

The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) introduced the item. The representative of the Netherlands made a statement. The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) responded to issues raised. The Executive Board took note of the report and thus concluded consideration of the item.

A self-financing Supply Division [8]

The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) introduced the item. Statements were made by representatives of Canada, China, the United States, the Netherlands, India, Sweden, Australia, Japan, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, France and Bangladesh. The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) responded to issues raised by delegations. The Executive Board approved the recommendation of the Executive Director as amended by Canada and thus concluded consideration of the item.

Election to fill the post of one Vice-President [3]

The Executive Board elected, by acclamation, Mr. Lennarth Hjelmaker (Sweden) to the post of one of the Vice-Presidents of the Board for the remainder of the present term of the Bureau.

UNICEF health strategy: policy review [9]

The Deputy Executive Director (Programmes) introduced the item. Statements were made by representatives of Canada, the Philippines, the United Kingdom, France, Germany, Italy, Pakistan, the Netherlands, India, Sweden, Switzerland, Costa Rica, China, Suriname, Burkina Faso, the Russian Federation, the United States, Denmark, Japan, Australia, Jamaica, Bangladesh, Ghana, Indonesia, Austria and the World Health Organization. The Deputy Executive Director (Programmes) responded to issues raised by delegations. The Executive Board decided to consider at its future session a revised policy paper on this subject.

Election of members on the UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy [10]

The Board unanimously elected the following candidates as members and alternates, respectively, of the UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy: *Asian Group* - Dr. Juan M. Flavier and Dr. Carmencita Reodica (Philippines); *Central and Eastern European Group* - Dr. Inga Grebesheva and Dr. Olga Lebedinskaya (Russian Federation); *Latin American and Caribbean Group* - Dr. Oscar Feo and Dr. Eugenio Brito (Venezuela); *Western European and Others Group* - Dr. David Nabarro and Dr. Penelope Key (United Kingdom). The Executive Board decided to keep this agenda item open pending receipt of candidatures from the African Group.

Review of UNICEF recovery policy [7]

The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) introduced the item. Statements were made by representatives of Brazil, the United States, the Netherlands, China, Germany, Japan, Canada, India, the United Kingdom, France, Bangladesh and Denmark. Relevant decisions on this item would be taken up in informal consultations.

Continuation of funding from administrative and programme budget for Central and Eastern Europe, the Commonwealth of Independent States and the Baltic States [13]

The Deputy Executive Director (Programmes) introduced the item. Consideration of the item was postponed to the following day.

Conference facilities at the premises of UNICEF headquarters [14]

Consideration of the item was postponed to the following day.

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Convention on the Rights of the Child

COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Seventh session
United Nations Office at Geneva

TUESDAY, 4 OCTOBER 1994

168th and 169th meetings

Consideration of reports of States parties [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of the initial report of Paraguay (CRC/C/3/Add.22).

In accordance with rule 68 of the provisional rules of procedure of the Committee, the representatives of the States Parties were present at the meetings and replied to questions raised and comments made by the members of the Committee.

Methods of work of the Committee [9]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item in closed session.

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United Nations Conference on Trade and Development

TRADE AND DEVELOPMENT BOARD
Forty first session (First part)
United Nations Office at Geneva

MONDAY, 26 SEPTEMBER 1994

Celebration of the thirtieth anniversary of the Group of 77

The thirtieth anniversary of the Group of 77 was celebrated under the auspices of the Trade and Development Board. It was attended by H.E. Mwalimu Julius Nyerere and other dignitaries.

Statements were made by H.E. Mr. Texeira Parreira (Angola), Chairman of the Group of 77; Mr. Carlos Fortin, Officer-in-charge of UNCTAD; H.E. Mr. Riaan Eksteen (South Africa), on behalf of the African Group and as the newest member of the Group of 77; H.E. Mr. Goonetilleke (Sri Lanka), Chairman of the Asian Group; H.E. Mr. Trevor Spencer (Trinidad and Tobago), Chairman of the Latin American and Caribbean Group; H.E. Mr. Anwar Hashim (Bangladesh), Chairman of the Least Developed Countries; H.E. Mr. Li Zhongzhou (China); H.E. Mr. Alois Jelonek (Germany), on behalf of the European Union; Mr. Afanassiev (Russian Federation), Coordinator of Group D; the representative of Indonesia, on behalf of the Non-aligned Movement; and the representative of Pakistan, Chairman of the GSTP (The Global System of Trade Reference).

The Secretary of the Trade and Development Board and Chief of the Group Liaison Unit read a message from the Chairman of the Group of 77 in New York.

WEDNESDAY, 28 SEPTEMBER 1994

851st plenary meeting

United Nations International Symposium on Trade Efficiency [8 (b)]

The representative of the United States presented a report on behalf of Mrs. Elizabeth Shelton, Chairperson for the Preparatory Committee for the United Nations Trade Symposium.

Statements were made by Mr. Jamshid Anvar, Director of Programme Support and Management Services, and by Mr. Carlos Fortin, the Officer-in-charge of UNCTAD. The Secretary of the Board gave information on the Symposium.

International implications of macroeconomic policies and issues concerning interdependence elements of successful growth and adjustment strategies [2]

Mr. Youri Afanassiev, Vice-President (Russian Federation), reported on his informal consultation on this item.

The Board approved the agreed conclusions in document TD/B/41(1)/L.4, subject to its formal adoption at the final plenary of the Board.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEE I 6th meeting

Sustainable development: trade and environment - the impact of environment - related policies on export competitiveness and market access [4]

Analysis and assessment of the outcome of the Uruguay Round, in particular in areas of concern to developing countries and economies in transition concerned, and its impact on the international trading system and problems of implementation [5]

The Sessional Committee concluded the consideration of items 4 and 5 by approving the draft Agreed Conclusions as contained in documents TD/B/41(1)/SC.1/L.2 and TD/B/41(1)/SC.1/L.3, respectively. The Committee also adopted its draft report (TD/B/41(1)/SC.1/L.1 and Add.1).

A statement was made by the Deputy Minister of Foreign Economic Relations of Ukraine under item 5.

A statement was made by the representative of China.

Sessional Committee I thus concluded its work.

SESSIONAL COMMITTEE II 3rd meeting

Policy review of technical cooperation in UNCTAD in the context of paragraph 68 of the Cartagena Commitment [9]

The Sessional Committee concluded the consideration of item 9 by approving the draft Agreed Conclusions (TD/B/41(1)/SC.2/L.2). The Committee also adopted its draft report (TD/B/41(1)/ SC.2/L.3).

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom and Argentina.

Sessional Committee II thus completed its work.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

International Convention on the Elimination of All Forms of Racial Discrimination, opened for signature at New York on 7 March 1966

Accession: Turkmenistan (29 September 1994)*

Agreement to establish the South Centre, opened for signature at Geneva on 1 September 1994

Signature: Sierra Leone (4 October 1994)

International Cocoa Agreement, 1993, concluded at Geneva on 16 July 1993

Ratification: Spain (29 September 1994)*

Convention on the Prohibition of the Development, Production, Stockpiling and Use of Chemical Weapons and on their Destruction, opened for signature at Paris on 13 January 1993

Ratification: Turkmenistan (29 September 1994)*

Vienna Convention for the Protection of the Ozone Layer, concluded at Vienna on 22 March 1985

Accession: Bolivia (3 October 1994)*

Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, concluded at Montreal on 16 September 1987

Accession: Bolivia (3 October 1994)*

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that Deplete the Ozone Layer, adopted at the Second Meeting of the Parties at London on 29 June 1990

Accession: Bolivia (3 October 1994)*

Amendment to the Montreal Protocol on Substances that deplete the Ozone Layer, adopted at the Fourth Meeting of the Parties at Copenhagen on 25 November 1992

Accession: Bolivia (3 October 1994)*

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Ratification: Bolivia (3 October 1994)*

Convention on Biological Diversity, opened for signature at Rio de Janeiro on 5 June 1992

Ratification: Bolivia, Republic of Korea (3 October 1994)*

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 6 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m. 20th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Address by His Excellency Mr. Samuel Hinds, Prime Minister of the Republic of Guyana

Bahrain

Bangladesh

Address by His Excellency The Right Honourable Lester B. Bird, Prime Minister of Antigua and Barbuda

Kazakhstan

3 p.m. 21st PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu'Izzadin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam.

2. Address by His Excellency Mr. Pasteur Bizimungu, President of the Rwandese Republic.

3. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Madagascar

Address by His Excellency Dr. Janez Drnovsek, Prime Minister of the Republic of Slovenia

Ecuador

Namibia

Ethiopia

Mali

Djibouti

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	3rd meeting	Conference Room 3

1. Statement by the Under-Secretary-General for Administration and Management

2. Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [112] (A/49/11, A/49/400 and Add.1)

Introduction and general debate

3. Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador (ONUSAL) [120] (A/48/842/Add.1 and A/49/458)

Introduction and general debate

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on agenda item 112 (Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations: determination of the mandates and modalities of an ad hoc body of the General Assembly to study the implementation of the principle of the capacity to pay as a fundamental criterion for determining the scale of assessments, in pursuance of General Assembly resolution 48/223C)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	7th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [134] (A/49/255 and Corr.1 (English only) and A/49/255/Add.1)

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives [135] (A/INF/48/4; A/49/295 and Add.1 and 2)

Question of criteria for the granting of observer status in the General Assembly [157] (A/49/231)

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [140] (A/49/33)

Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property [143] (A/C.6/49/L.2)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Development Programme

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF UNDP AND UNFPA

Third regular session

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	18th meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	19th meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
6 p.m.*-9 p.m.	20th meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

1. Provisional agenda, annotations, list of documents and work plan (item 1) (DP/1994/L.5)
2. Annual review of the financial situation, 1993, and an *ex post de facto* report on support costs (item 4) (DP/1994/34 and Add.1-4)
3. Revised budget estimates for the 1994-1995 biennium (item 4) (DP/1994/35)
4. Report of ACABQ on the revised budget estimates for the biennium 1994-1995 (item 4) (DP/1994/36)
5. Audit reports (item 4) (DP/1994/37 and Add.1)
6. Status of Management Services Agreements (item 4) (DP/1994/56)
7. Case-by-case approval of programmes and projects for Aruba, Barbados, British Virgin Islands, Netherlands Antilles, Suriname and Trinidad and Tobago (item 3) (DP/1994/32)
8. First country programme for Cambodia (item 3) (DP/CP/KHM)/1)
9. Report of the Administrator on his endeavour to find resources to enable restoration of IPFs to the original levels (item 7) (DP/1994/1)
10. Report of the Administrator on possible options for a structure for the next programming period (item 7) (DP/1994/59)
11. Field visits of the Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA to the Philippines, Viet Nam, West Bank and Gaza, Jordan, Kenya and Zimbabwe

* Subject to the availability of services.

OTHER MEETINGS

GROUP OF 27 OF THE GROUP OF 77
(on Second and Third Committee matters)

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 2

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE
(Address by the President of Rwanda)

5 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

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Briefing

Mr. Hama Arba Diallo, Executive Secretary, Intergovernmental Negotiating Committee for a Convention to Combat Desertification (INCD), and the Permanent Mission of France invite all environment experts at the Permanent Missions to an informal briefing, which will be held *today*, 6 October 1994, from 1 p.m. to 2.15 p.m. in Conference Room 1, on INCD activities, in particular the signing ceremony to be held in Paris (14-15 October 1994) and the sixth session of INCD (9-20 January 1995).

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Friday, 7 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m. 22nd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Professor David Kpomakpor, Chairman of the Council of State of the Liberian National Transitional Government of the Republic of Liberia.

2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Togo

Jamaica

San Marino

Iraq

3 p.m. 23rd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Address by His Royal Highness Prince Mbilini Dlamini, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Swaziland.

Viet Nam

Libyan Arab Jamahiriya

Solomon Islands

Thailand

Eritrea

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m. 3rd meeting Conference Room 2

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 6

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

10 a.m.	closed meeting	
		Trusteeship Council Chamber
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	
		Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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The Chairman of the PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE WORLD SUMMIT FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT will hold an open-ended meeting on Friday, 7 October 1994, at 10 a.m. in Conference Room 5, for the purpose of an informal exchange of views on document A/CONF.166/PC/L.18, entitled "Outcome of the World Summit for Social Development: elements for the draft Declaration".

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Convention on the Rights of the Child

The Fourth Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child will be held on Monday, 10 October 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

The fourth session of the ACC CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMME AND OPERATIONAL QUESTIONS (CCPOQ) will be held at United Nations Headquarters from 11 to 14 October 1994 in Conference Room 5.

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Briefing

There will be an informal briefing on the forthcoming United Nations International Symposium on Trade Efficiency on Tuesday, 11 October 1994, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. Mr. Jean Gurunlian, UNCTAD's Executive Secretary of the Symposium, will inform delegates about the forthcoming United Nations Symposium to be held in Ohio from 17 to 21 October 1994, at which over 80 ministers will propose innovative ways to improve efficiency in international trade.

Prepared texts for distribution
in the meeting room and to the press

In order to allow distribution of prepared texts of speeches made in the plenary meetings and in the Main Committees of the General Assembly to delegations, specialized agencies, observers, interpreters, record-writers and press officers, 350 copies are required. Those copies should be given in advance of delivery of the speech to the Conference officer, in order to help the Secretariat to provide the best possible service. For distribution in the General Assembly Hall, texts should be delivered to the documents counter on the left side of the hall.

In order to facilitate press coverage of statements made in plenary meetings and in the Main Committees of the General Assembly, an additional 150 copies are required for distribution to accredited correspondents in the press area. Those copies should be delivered in advance of the speech to the Press Documents Counter, Room S-390. As soon as received, the availability of the texts will be announced through the press paging system by the Correspondents Liaison Unit, Department of Public Information.

SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Wednesday, 5 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

18th plenary meeting

Address by His Excellency Mr. Bakili Muluzi, President of the Republic of Malawi

His Excellency Mr. Bakili Muluzi, President of the Republic of Malawi, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

His Excellency The Right Honourable Sir Anerood Jugnauth, Prime Minister of the Republic of Mauritius, addressed the General Assembly.

The Assembly heard a statement by H.E. Mr. Anwar Ibrahim, Deputy Prime Minister and Minister of Finance of Malaysia.

His Excellency Mr.Kengo Wa Dondo, Prime Minister of the Transitional Government of the Republic of Zaire, addressed the General Assembly.

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Roberto Romulo, Secretary of Foreign Affairs of the Philippines and H.E. Mr. Rashid Abdullah Al-Noaimi, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the United Arab Emirates.

Announcement

The President informed the General Assembly that the wording of item 33 was not correctly reflected in documents A/49/251 and A/49/252 and that in future documents, in accordance with General Assembly resolution 48/26, the title of item 33 would read "Question of equitable representation on and increase in the membership of the Security Council and related matters".

19th plenary meeting

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations (Article 19 of the Charter) (A/49/400/Add.2) [112]

The General Assembly took note that Burkina Faso had made the necessary payment to reduce its arrears below the amount specified in Article 19 of the Charter.

Address by His Excellency Mr. Ange-Félix Patasse, President of the Central African Republic

His Excellency Mr. Ange-Félix Patasse, President of the Central African Republic, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Choi Su Hon, Deputy Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Democratic People's Republic of Korea; H.E. Dr. Obed Asamoah, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ghana; H.E. Mr. Ferdinand Léopold Oyono, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Cameroon; H.E. Mr. Mohamed Salem Basendwah, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Yemen; H.E. Dr. Abass Chernor Bundu, Secretary of State for Foreign Affairs and International Cooperation of Sierra Leone; H.E. Ratu Manasa Seniloli, Chairman of the Delegation of Fiji.

Statements in the exercise of the right of reply were made by the representatives of Greece, the Islamic Republic of Iran and the United Arab Emirates.

Appointment of members of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions: report of the Fifth Committee (A/49/432) [17(a)]

The General Assembly, on the recommendation of the Fifth Committee, appointed Mr. Yuji Kumamaru as a member of the Advisory Committee on Administrative and Budgetary Questions for a term of office beginning on 5 October 1994 and ending on 31 December 1995.

Committees

SPECIAL POLITICAL AND DECOLONIZATION COMMITTEE (FOURTH COMMITTEE) 2nd meeting

Opening of the meeting

The Chairman made a statement.

Election of officers

In respect of the two Vice-Chairmen, the Chairman informed the Committee that consultations were still in progress.

Upon nomination by the representative of Thailand, the Committee elected, by acclamation, Mr. Dieudonné Ndiaye (Gabon) as Rapporteur of the Committee.

Organization of work

The Committee had before it a letter from the President of the General Assembly concerning the agenda items allocated

to it (A/C.4/49/1) and a note by the Chairman (A/C.4/49/L.1) containing his suggestions concerning the organization of work.

The Chairman drew members' attention to the recommendations concerning the organization and rationalization of the work and practices of the General Assembly contained in the report of the General Committee in document A/49/250.

The Chairman also drew members' attention to a note by the Secretary-General on the control and limitation of documentation which would be issued in document A/INF/49/1.

On the proposal by the Chairman and following statements by the representatives of Jordan, the Syrian Arab Republic and Oman, the Committee decided to approve, in principle, the suggestions contained in his note (A/C.4/49/L.1), it being understood that consultations would be held in respect of the timing of agenda items 76 and 77.

As regards agenda item 77, the Committee decided to establish an open-ended Working Group, to be chaired by the delegation of Austria, to prepare the draft resolution on the item.

In accordance with the suggestions of the Chairman as contained in his note (A/C.4/49/L.1), the Committee decided to hold one general debate on agenda items 18, 82, 83, 84 and 12 and 85 and to close the list of speakers at 6 p.m., on Tuesday, 11 October.

Agenda items 18 (chapters of the report of the Special Committee of 24 relating to specific Territories not already covered by other items), 81, 82, 83 and 12, and 84)

The Committee decided, without objection and in accordance with established practice, to consider chapter V of A/49/23 (Part III) in conjunction with agenda item 82.

The Rapporteur of the Special Committee of 24 introduced the related chapters of the report of the Special Committee (A/49/23 (Parts II to VII)).

The Committee decided to take note of the recommendation of the Special Committee of 24 to suspend consideration of the Trust Territory of the Pacific Islands until its 1995 session as indicated in document A/49/23 (Part VI), chapter IX, paragraph 32.

Statements were made by the Acting Chairman (Cuba) of the Special Committee of 24 and the Chairman (Tunisia) of the Subcommittee on Small Territories, Petitions, Information and Assistance.

Requests for hearing

The Chairman informed the Committee of the receipt of 20 communications containing requests for hearing relating to Gibraltar, Guam, New Caledonia and Western Sahara, under agenda item 18, which the Committee decided to circulate as Committee documents.

Allocation of items to the Special Political and Decolonization Committee

The Chairman drew attention to document A/C.4/49/2 containing a letter from the Chairman of the Fifth Committee concerning the proposed revisions to the medium-term plan for the period 1992-1997. On the proposal of the Chairman, the Committee decided, without objection, that members wishing to submit their views on programmes 8 (Peaceful uses of outer space) and 38 (Public Information) contained in document A/49/6 (Prog. 8) and (Prog. 38) should do so in writing no later than Tuesday, 25 October, for transmittal to the Fifth Committee.

SIXTH COMMITTEE — 6th meeting

Observer status of national liberation movements recognized by the organization of African Unity and/or by the League of Arab States [133]

The Chairman spoke.

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [134]

Statements were made by the representatives of Germany, Algeria, Sweden (on behalf of the Nordic countries) Ukraine, Austria, the Russian Federation, Australia and Hungary. The observers for Switzerland and the International Committee of the Red Cross also spoke.

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives [135]

The Under-Secretary-General, the Legal Counsel, introduced the reports of the Secretary-General.

Statements were made by the representatives of Germany (on behalf of the States Members of the European Union and Austria), Algeria and Norway (on behalf of the Nordic countries).

The representative of the Islamic Republic of Iran spoke in the exercise of the right of reply.

Organization of work

The Committee elected Mr. Ernst Martens (Germany) as Chairman of the Working Group on the United Nations Decade of International Law.

The Chairman made a statement.

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Children's Fund

EXECUTIVE BOARD
Third regular session 31st and 32nd meetings

Projections of future levels of UNICEF headquarters staff [6]

The Executive Board adopted the draft resolution submitted following informal consultations and thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Review of Greeting Card and related Operations (GCO) currently located in Manhattan [11]

The Executive Board adopted the draft resolution submitted following informal consultations and thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Continuation of funding from administrative and programme support budget for Central and Eastern Europe, the Commonwealth of Independent States and the Baltic States [13] (continuation)

The Executive Board began its discussion on the item. Statements were made by the representatives of Germany, Canada, France, the United States, Austria, the Russian Federation and Belarus. The Deputy Executive Director (Programmes) responded to issues raised by delegations. The Board approved the recommendation and thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Election of members on the UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy [10] (continuation)

It was announced that the African Group would inform the Secretary of the Executive Board, in writing, of the names of their candidates to the UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy. The Executive Board agreed to endorse the nominations of the African Group conveyed by the Chairman of the Group without going into formal session. The Executive Board thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Review of UNICEF recovery policy [7] (continuation)

The representative of Brazil introduced the two draft resolutions which were approved by the Executive Board. The representative of India made a statement.

Conference facilities at the premises of UNICEF headquarters [14]

The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) introduced the item. Statements were made by the representatives of Germany, Brazil, Japan, France, China, Sweden, the United States, Canada, Burkina Faso, the Philippines, Denmark, Australia, Nepal, the Netherlands, the United Kingdom, Belarus, Belgium, Bangladesh and Switzerland. The Deputy Executive Director (Operations) responded to issues raised by delegations. The Board approved the draft decision.

Issues to be addressed at the 1995 Executive Board sessions and their work programme and working methods [15]

The Secretary of the Executive Board introduced the item. Statements were made by the representatives of Brazil, Burkina Faso, the Netherlands, Denmark, Bangladesh, Belarus, Australia, Sweden, China, Switzerland, the United States, the United Kingdom, the Russian Federation and Canada. The Board then held informal consultations on the item. The representative of Sweden, who chaired the informal consultations, then reported on discussions. Statements were made by Canada, Brazil, China, Denmark, the Netherlands, Burkina Faso, Belarus, Switzerland, the United Kingdom, Australia, India and the United States. The Board approved the item, as orally revised, and thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Use of global funds, including the Interregional Fund for Programme Preparation, Promotion and Evaluation [16]

The Deputy Executive Director (Programmes) introduced the item. Statements were made by representatives of the United States, Canada, the United Kingdom and Australia. The Deputy Executive Director (Programmes), the Deputy Executive Director (Operations) and the Director of Programme Division responded to issues raised. The Executive Board took note of the reports and thus concluded its consideration of the item.

Other business [17]

The Executive Board took note of document E/ICEF/1994/AB/L.3/Add.1 following its introduction by the Deputy Executive Director (Operations).

The representative of the United States made a statement.

The Secretary of the Executive Board made a statement on the following items: field visits of the Executive Board members in 1995; in-depth presentation of country programme recommendations in 1995; election of the Bureau for 1995; and the election by the African group on member and alternate on the UNICEF/WHO Joint Committee on Health Policy.

Concluding remarks by the Executive Director and the President [18]

The Executive Director and the President made concluding statements.

The Executive Board thus concluded its third regular session of 1994.

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Convention on the Rights of the Child

COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Seventh session
United Nations Office at Geneva

WEDNESDAY, 5 OCTOBER 1994

170th meeting

Methods of work of the Committee [9]

The Committee continued its consideration of the item.

171st (closed) meeting

Consideration of reports of States parties [4]

The Committee continued its consideration of reports in closed session.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

Basel Convention on the Control of Transboundary Movements of Hazardous Wastes and their Disposal, concluded at Basel on 22 March 1989

Accession: Cuba (3 October 1994)*

United Nations Framework Convention on Climate Change, concluded at New York on 9 May 1992

Accession: Albania (3 October 1994)*

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* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

ANNOUNCEMENTS

Meeting

Thursday, 6 October 1994

STAFF COUNCIL

1.15 p.m. 2.30 p.m.	(open to staff members only)	Conference Room 4

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PROGRAMME OF MEETINGS AND AGENDA

SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Friday, 7 October 1994

SECURITY COUNCIL

11 a.m.	consultations of the whole (closed)	Consultation Room

Subjects

- United Nations Iraq-Kuwait Observation Mission (S/1994/1111)
- Any other business

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m.	22nd PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

1. Address by His Excellency Professor David Kpomakpor, Chairman of the Council of State of the Liberian National Transitional Government of the Republic of Liberia.

2. Continuation of the general debate [9]:

   Togo

   Jamaica

   San Marino

   Iraq

3 p.m. 23rd PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Address by His Royal Highness Prince Mbilini Dlamini, Prime Minister of the Kingdom of Swaziland

Viet Nam

Libyan Arab Jamahiriya

Solomon Islands

Thailand

Eritrea

Committees

SECOND COMMITTEE

10 a.m.-1 p.m. 3rd meeting Conference Room 2

1. Election of one Vice-Chairman

2. Organization of work (A/49/250; A/C.2/49/1, A/C.2/49/2; A/C.2/49/L.1/Rev.1 and Add.1)

3. General debate

- Statement by the Under-Secretary-General for Policy Coordination and Sustainable Development

- Algeria (on behalf of the Group of 77)
- Germany (on behalf of the European Union)
- Brazil
- Chile
- Bangladesh
- Russian Federation
- China
- Ecuador

FIFTH COMMITTEE

Informal consultations

10 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Conference Room 6

Informal consultations on agenda item 120 (Financing of the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador (ONUSAL) (A/48/842/Add.1 and A/49/458)

SIXTH COMMITTEE:

WORKING GROUP ON THE ELABORATION OF AN INTERNATIONAL CONVENTION DEALING WITH THE SAFETY AND SECURITY OF UNITED NATIONS AND ASSOCIATED PERSONNEL

10 a.m.-1 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

3 p.m.-6 p.m. closed meeting Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.-1 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10

ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

United Nations Development Programme

EXECUTIVE BOARD OF UNDP AND UNFPA

Third regular session

10 a.m.-1 p.m.	21st meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
3 p.m.-6 p.m.	22nd meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber
6 p.m.*-9 p.m.	23rd meeting	Economic and Social Council Chamber

1. Agency support costs [2] (DP/1994/23 and Add.1)
2. United Nations technical cooperation activities [9] (DP/1994/26 and Add.1 and 2)
3. Report of the Administrator on his endeavour to find resources to enable restoration of IPFs to the original levels (item 7) (DP/1994/1) *(continued)*
4. Report of the Administrator on possible options for a structure for the next programming period (item 7) (DP/1994/59) *(continued)*
5. Matters relating to the programming cycle: "Main Principles and Guidelines for the Sixth Programming Cycle of the United Nations Development Programme", declaration adopted in Santiago on 7 September 1994 by Argentina, Brazil, Chile, Paraguay and Uruguay [7] (DP/1994/63) *(continued)*
6. Field visits of the Executive Board of UNDP/UNFPA to the Philippines, Viet Nam, West Bank and Gaza; Jordan, Kenya and Zimbabwe

* Subject to the availability of services.

OTHER MEETINGS

AFRICAN GROUP OF THE WHOLE
(Address by the Chairman of the Council of State of the Liberian National Transitional Government of the Republic of Liberia)

11 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 4

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The Chairman of the PREPARATORY COMMITTEE FOR THE WORLD SUMMIT FOR SOCIAL DEVELOPMENT will hold an open-ended meeting *today*, 7 October 1994, in Conference Room 5, for the purpose of an informal exchange of views on document A/CONF.166/PC/L.18, entitled "Outcome of the World Summit for Social Development: elements for the draft Declaration". The time of the meeting has been changed to 3 p.m.

FORTHCOMING MEETINGS

Monday, 10 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

10 a.m.	24th PLENARY MEETING	General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

His Excellency The Rt. Honourable Dr. Kennedy A. Simmonds, Prime Minister of Saint Kitts and Nevis

Barbados

Her Excellency The Honourable Mary Eugenia Charles, Prime Minister of the Commonwealth of Dominica

Maldives

Iceland

3 p.m. 25th PLENARY MEETING General Assembly Hall

Continuation of the general debate [9]:

Saint Vincent and the Grenadines

Mongolia

Bahamas

Chad

Equatorial Guinea

Nepal

Bhutan

Committees

SIXTH COMMITTEE

10 a.m.	8th meeting	Trusteeship Council Chamber

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ADVISORY COMMITTEE ON ADMINISTRATIVE AND BUDGETARY QUESTIONS

10.30 a.m.	closed meeting	Conference Room 10
3 p.m.	closed meeting	

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Informal consultations

The Extended Bureau of the COMMITTEE ON INFORMATION, which includes the spokespersons of the regional groups, the Group of 77 and China, will hold informal consultations with the Department of Public Information on Wednesday, 12 October 1994, at 11.30 a.m. in Room S-1027.

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Convention on the Rights of the Child

The Fourth Meeting of the States Parties to the Convention on the Rights of the Child will be held on Monday, 10 October 1994, at 10 a.m. and 3 p.m. in Conference Room 1. The provisional agenda for the Meeting is contained in document CRC/SP/10.

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ECONOMIC AND SOCIAL COUNCIL

The fourth session of the ACC CONSULTATIVE COMMITTEE ON PROGRAMME AND OPERATIONAL QUESTIONS (CCPOQ) will be held at United Nations Headquarters from 11 to 14 October 1994 in Conference Room 5.

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Briefing

There will be an informal briefing on the forthcoming United Nations International Symposium on Trade Efficiency on Tuesday, 11 October 1994, from 3 p.m. to 4 p.m. in the Economic and Social Council Chamber. Mr. Jean Gurunlian, UNCTAD's Executive Secretary of the Symposium, will inform delegates about the forthcoming United Nations Symposium to be held in Ohio from 17 to 21 October 1994, at which over 80 ministers will propose innovative ways to improve efficiency in international trade.

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Prepared texts for distribution in the meeting room and to the press

In order to allow distribution of prepared texts of speeches made in the plenary meetings and in the Main Committees of the General Assembly to delegations, specialized agencies, observers, interpreters, record-writers and press officers, 350 copies are required. Those copies should be given in advance of delivery of the speech to the Conference officer, in order to help the Secretariat to provide the best possible service. For distribution in the General Assembly Hall, texts should be delivered to the documents counter on the left side of the hall.

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SUMMARY OF SCHEDULED MEETINGS

Thursday, 6 October 1994

GENERAL ASSEMBLY

Forty-ninth session

20th plenary meeting

Continuation of the general debate [9]

His Excellency Mr. Samuel Hinds, Prime Minister of the Republic of Guyana, addressed the General Assembly.

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Shaikh Mohammed Bin Mubarak Al-Khalifa, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bahrain, and H.E. Mr. Mustafizur Rahman, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Bangladesh.

His Excellency The Right Honourable Lester Bird, Prime Minister and Minister for Foreign Affairs of Antigua and Barbuda, addressed the General Assembly.

The General Assembly heard statements by H.E. Mr. Kanat Saudabayev, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Kazakhstan, and H.E. Mrs. Sy Kadiatou Sow, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Mali, for Malians living abroad and African Integration.

21st plenary meeting

Address by His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu'Izzaddin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam

His Majesty Sultan Haji Hassanal Bolkiah Mu'Izzaddin Waddaulah, Sultan and Yang Di Pertuan of Brunei Darussalam, addressed the General Assembly.

Address by His Excellency Mr. Pasteur Bizimungu, President of the Rwandese Republic

His Excellency Mr. Pasteur Bizimungu, President of the Rwandese Republic, addressed the General Assembly.

Continuation of the general debate [9]

The Assembly heard a statement by H.E. Mr. Jacques Sylla, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Madagascar.

His Excellency Dr. Janez Drnovsek, Prime Minister of the Republic of Slovenia, addressed the General Assembly.

The Assembly heard statements by H.E. Dr. Jaime Marchán, Acting Minister for Foreign Affairs of Ecuador; H.E. Mr. Theo-Ben Gurirab, Minister for Foreign Affairs of Namibia; H.E. Mr. Seyoum Mesfin, Minister for Foreign Affairs of the Transitional Government of Ethiopia and H.E. Mr. Roble Olhaye, Chairman of the Delegation of Djibouti.

Committees

FIFTH COMMITTEE 3rd meeting

The Under-Secretary-General for the Department of Administration and Management addressed the Committee regarding its programme of work.

The representative of Cuba spoke on a point of clarification.

The Chairman made a statement.

Scale of assessments for the apportionment of the expenses of the United Nations [112]

The Committee began its consideration of this item and heard an introductory statement by the Chairman of the Committee on Contributions.

Statements were made by the representatives of Ukraine, India, the Russian Federation, Kyrgyzstan and China.

Financing the United Nations Observer Mission in El Salvador (ONUSAL) [120]

The Committee began its consideration of this item and heard introductory statements by the Controller and the Chairman of the Advisory Committee.

Statements were made by the representatives of the United Kingdom, Egypt, Australia, Brazil and Zambia.

The Controller and the Secretary of the Committee responded to questions posed.

SIXTH COMMITTEE 7th meeting

Status of the Protocols Additional to the Geneva Conventions of 1949 and relating to the protection of victims of armed conflicts [134]

Statements were made by the representatives of Italy and Belarus.

The Committee thus concluded the debate on this item.

Consideration of effective measures to enhance the protection, security and safety of diplomatic and consular missions and representatives [135]

Statements were made by the representatives of Argentina, the Russian Federation, Ukraine, Turkey and Angola.

The representatives of Germany and the United Kingdom spoke in the exercise of the right of reply.

The Committee thus concluded the debate on this item.

Question of criteria for the granting of observer status in the General Assembly [157]

The representative of the United States introduced the item.

Report of the Special Committee on the Charter of the United Nations and on the Strengthening of the Role of the Organization [140]

The Chairman of the 1994 session of the Special Committee introduced the Committee's report.

Convention on jurisdictional immunities of States and their property [143]

The Chairman of the informal consultations under this item introduced a paper containing conclusions he had drawn from the consultations.

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Convention on the Rights of the Child

COMMITTEE ON THE RIGHTS OF THE CHILD
Seventh session
United Nations Office at Geneva

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172nd and 173rd meeting

Consideration of reports of States parties [4]

The Committee began its consideration of the initial report of Spain (CRC/C/8/Add.6).

In accordance with the committee's provisional rules of procedure, representatives of the State Party were present at those meetings and replied to questions raised and observations made by members of the Committee.

SIGNATURES, RATIFICATIONS, ETC.

[MULTILATERAL TREATIES DEPOSITED WITH THE SECRETARY-GENERAL]

European Agreement on Main International Railway Lines (AGC), concluded at Geneva on 31 May 1985

Succession: The Former Yugoslav Republic of Macedonia (5 October 1994)*

* The date of receipt of the relevant documents.

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Workshop

The Dag Hammarskjöld Library, Department of Public Information, will conduct a workshop on the utilization of information resources in the French language from 10 to 13 October 1994 for delegates and staff of Permanent Missions to the United Nations.

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